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RIDE stops check 453

by Andrew Milne

The Minden OPP report it checked a total of 453 vehicles during the course of the five week festive RIDE initiative this year, and issued two 12 hour suspensions.

The RIDE (Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere) program is organized by the OPP to cut down on impaired driving. Officers set up locations in which to do spot checks throughout the province, stopping vehicles and checking drivers for the smell of alcohol. If they feel they have reason to do so, the officers then do breathalyser tests on suspect drivers.

This year, during the five week period from the last week of November through to New Years, the Minden OPP issued two 12-hour suspensions, charged 2 persons for alcohol related driving offenses, issued three other traffic and liquor related charges, and investigated 32 traffic accidents. Of these accidents, one involved a fatality and six involved injuries. Fourteen persons were injured in accidents investigated by the Minden OPP during the holiday season, the detachment reports.

The detachment also charged four persons with alcohol-related driving offenses in cases not related to RIDE spot checks.

In the second week of the program, from December 4 to 10, the detachment

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Soggy snowmobile surfaces in runaway hunt

Friday was not a red letter day for Dwayne McKnight.

With the fresh fall of snow on the ground, the Minden resident thought it would be an excellent day for a snowmobile ride. However, when he started his snowmobile, parked beside Minden Auto Care on South Water Street, the engine caught and the vehicle took off like a machine possessed (or at least with a frozen throttle). Dwayne attempted to tame the charging beast and hung onto it as it lunged across the street, but to no avail. As he released his grip the snowmobile climbed the snow cone at the side of the road and shot down the bank and into the middle of the river where it sank out of sight.

Dwayne waded into the water in an attempt to retrieve his machine but was driven back to the shore by the chilly temperatures and the advice of passers-by, including a police officer, who suggested that wading in the Gull River was not a prudent thing to do in January.

Undeterred, he returned about an hour later and with the help of friends, a canoe, a chain and hook, truck and backhoe, was able to free the errant snowmobile from its watery repose.

LEFT: Dwayne and his friends wrestle the snowmobile back onto shore.

BELOW: Dwayne probes the murky water for his missing machine.



1995 ice racing season will begin this weekend

by Jerry Grozelle

The grinding of sheet metal against sheet metal, clouds of snow and the sound of racing engines and tires spinning on ice will be returning to Minden in just a few days.

This weekend will mark the beginning of the 19th year of ice racing in Minden.

An ice racer since the first year, Tom Prentice has been busy for a week, getting the track ready for the January 14 opening day. He was happy to see the onset of frigid temperatures last week. Frostbite weather is just what Prentice wants, to build a solid foundation of ice for the seven-week racing season.

Minden is the home of the Ontario Region series. The local events are sanctioned

by the Canadian Automobile Sport Clubs (CASC).

"When we first started out, a full field of all the cars would be about 30," Prentice said. "Now, we have heats of that many."

Last year, an average weekend of racing saw about 105 participants.

Vehicles are allocated into classes, according to engine size, type of drive train (front wheel drive, rear wheel drive or four wheel drive), the type of tires used (rubber to ice or studded) and whether or not the engine is stock or modified.

All cars must conform to strict safety standards, as set out by the CASC. The safety record of this event has been outstanding.

"The worst injury I can remember is when the medic was walking across the track and he slipped on the ice and fell and

broke his wrist," Prentice said.

Prentice says there have been a few minor changes in the class structure for the 1995 season. The number of rubber to ice classes has been reduced from seven to five with the amalgamation of three classes.

Drivers come from across the province to participate in the Minden races. Prentice said there are seven or eight participants from Haliburton County, including a couple of others besides himself from Minden.

Racing takes place each Saturday and Sunday from this weekend through to the end of February. Practice runs usually start at about 9 a.m. on Saturdays with the racing getting under way an hour later. Saturday's racing is usually completed by 4:30 or 5 p.m. The Sunday racing starts at

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Bearing the scars of countless encounters of the close kind, Minden's Tom Prentice pilots his battered Skoda around the ice racing track at the fair grounds.

Police clamp down on impaired drivers

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was only able to do 18 vehicles, but "that's because they got two impaired drivers in those 18 cars," said Senior Constable Mike Landry.

The detachment handed out the two 12 hour suspensions in the second week, along with two other highway traffic act charges.

Sergeant Art Goard of the Minden OPP says that though the two impaired drivers charged during the program are an increase from last year when no such

charges were laid, it really can't be said to necessarily represent a trend.

"We experienced more impaireds," said Goard, "but I don't know what the significance of that is. In an area this size it's difficult to say there's a trend."

In the Peterborough district as a whole, of which Minden is a part, 31,625 vehicles were stopped under the program during the season: 214 12 hour suspensions were laid, 87 persons were charged with impaired driving, and 299 other charges were laid. In 1993, fewer drivers were suspended — a total of 128 received the 12 hour suspensions, from a total of 21,246 vehicles stopped.

December weather

by Phil Graham

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Average high	.8	33.4
Average low	-9.7	14.5
Average for the month	-4.4	24.0
Average for last December	-6.1	21.0
Highest temperature (Dec. 2)	8.0	46.4
Lowest temperature (Dec. 12)	-29.0	-20.2
Rain	27.6 mm	1.1 in
Snow	29.0 cm	11.4 in
Total precipitation	56.6 mm	2.2 in
Total precipitation Dec. 93	49.4 mm	1.9 in
Snow on the ground Dec 31	11.0 cm	4.3 in
Snow on ground Dec. 31/93	20.0 cm	7.8 in
Total snow to Dec. 31/94	65. cm	25. in
Days mostly sunny	11	
Days with snow or rain	9	

(1 cm of snow equals one mm of rain: 10 inches of snow equals one inch of rain.)

Another better than average month. December was quite pleasant. First week was mild with a few showers. A spell of quite cold weather from December 8 to 16. December 17 to end of the month was fine with no snow or rain and more than average sunny days giving us pleasant holidays. Those who travelled during the holidays appreciated the good conditions.

Planning underway for Minden Carnival

The 1995 edition of the Minden Winter Carnival will go ahead on January 27 and 28 as planned. Organizer Brian Moore admitted that there had been some concern regarding insurance coverage for the event. But that has since been resolved.

"We're going to basically follow last year's format," Moore said.

A Carnival Queen and King contest is slated for Friday evening, along with a torch-light parade. A full day of activities for children is planned for Saturday, including a figure skating demonstration and a tyke hockey game as well as other games and contests.

Moore says he is in the process of trying to organize some events for seniors as well.

Anyone interested in helping to organize the carnival should call Brian Moore at 286-2518. He says he'd be happy to have as many volunteers as possible to help run the event.

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Cars, ice and checkered flags return...

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noon and is finished by about 4 p.m. so the drivers who have a long way to travel can get an early start on their way home.

Racing cars on ice is sometimes referred to as poor man's racing.

The cost to get started in the sport is minimal, especially the rubber to ice classes. In those classes, vehicles are stock, with stock safety equipment. Speeds seldom reach more than about 70 kilometres per hour so there is no need for special safety harnesses or roll cages. The only extra safety equipment required is an approved helmet.

Studded tire classes can reach speeds of 100 km/h or more. Because of the speed, additional safety equipment is mandatory.

STP has been the major sponsor of the event for many years. Locally, Keaney Motors has supplied a new four-wheel-drive vehicle for the medic, in case he needs to attend to anyone at a crash. Ridgewood Ford has provided a heated booth for the race starter.

Participants in the Minden ice racing events aren't competing for big cash prizes. In fact, there are no cash prizes. The rewards are in the form of trophies only. And that's the way they want to keep it. If cash prizes were introduced, it would no longer be a sport in which the average ice



MAKING ICE: During Friday's snow storm, Tom Prentice spent most of the day working on the Minden ice racing track at the fairgrounds in preparation for the January 14 and 15 opening weekend of ice racing. He said he hopes to have as much as a foot of ice on the track for opening day, if Mother Nature co-operates and keeps the temperature below freezing.



With a rooster tail of snow flying up behind him, Tom Prentice rounds a corner with a competitor in hot pursuit. Racing starts this weekend at the Minden track.

Minden's ice racing track is gaining notoriety throughout Canada and the United States. In addition to being featured in newspapers throughout Ontario, the facility was the subject of an article which appeared in the *Autoroute* magazine published out of Toronto. In the article, writer Vic Michener noted:

"Minden's racetrack has become one of the most popular and well-known in the country, and it's the site of the Canadian Automobile Sports Club (CASC) Ontario Region STP/Prestone Ice Race Championship. But don't let the name fool you. This six week series is a far cry from the sponsor-heavy, mega-buck world of Formula One, IndyCar and Winston Cup racing, and that's its advantage. There's no prize money. No high-tech modifications. No glitz and glamour. Just points and trophies and a good time."

racer could afford to participate. Those who could afford it, would spend more on equipment, effectively eliminating those who didn't have the resources to upgrade their equipment.

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Içi on parle français: Keeping the French language alive in an English-speaking community

Andrew Milne

There are a surprising number of people in Ontario who call French their first language. It's a fact occasionally neglected and forgotten in the interminable constitutional snarl that is beginning to define for some of us what it is to be Canadian (*Homo canadiensis*. See *Homo debatus*), but it's a simple reality that it's a lot easier to draw a line on a map and call it a border than it is to describe the very complicated mix of peoples and cultures which make up Canada and which have made it up for a very long time.

The reality is that there are a lot of English speaking peoples east of the Ontario/Quebec border, and a lot of French speaking peoples west of it. Many of these were raised in communities that go back generations — the Franco-Ontarians in Sudbury, the Anglo-Québécois in Hudson and districts of Montréal.

Lyse Cazabon-Keaney, now of Minden, lived most of her life in Sudbury, and hardly heard a word of English until she started attending school and learned it in the school yard. Her schooling, for that matter, was entirely in French for the first nine years.

And now, living in very English Minden, Cazabon-Keaney is doing everything she can to ensure that her two children learn to use the language with which she grew up.

This, says Keaney, is only a natural thing, only a sensible thing. "I just think that you are doing your children a disservice if you don't share with them a language that you know, be it French or whatever," she says. "In my particular case it's French that I know, so I have to do my best to share that with them."



Lyse Cazabon-Keaney has kept her mother tongue alive in her family by only speaking French to her sons Sean, left, and Aaron

It is difficult sometimes, however, for a number of reasons.

First of all, in Minden, the only French the children hear, prior to starting French education in the schools, is at home.

"When we lived in Sudbury," says Cazabon-Keaney, "which is where we're from, my husband and I, and there are a lot of French-speaking people there — it wasn't difficult. You hear French everywhere. Here though, the only French they hear is from me."

Secondly, says Keaney, her husband Michael Keaney is from an English family, and it adds a degree

of complication when she's talking to the children. "He's extremely supportive and agrees that it's wonderful for the kids to be able to speak a second language," says Keaney. "He's certainly never hampered my attempts. But as the children have gotten older I've found that what I say to them is sometimes pertinent to my husband, so I have to speak English then as well. When they were smaller I tended to say, you know, go to bed, don't touch that. And that was easy enough to learn and my husband picked that up as the children picked it up. But as they got older, and I said something that he needed to hear, I had to say that in English."

The children are Sean, seven, and Aaron, six. Cazabon-Keaney says both are doing well, despite the complications involved.

"They certainly understand everything I tell them," says Cazabon-Keaney. "The youngest is six, and I can't really say that he speaks to me in French. I encourage it. I encourage it with both of them. The seven year old I guess had that one extra year of immer-

sion in Sudbury, and constant French, and he seemed to have picked it up maybe a little more quickly, and he can speak to me in French or English with absolutely no difficulty. The youngest one struggles a bit with the French but he certainly understands every word, because I'm maybe more stubborn than he is and I continue to speak French to him. But I think that as they have gotten older, it's become somewhat more difficult, because they hear so much more English than they did when there were at home all day."

And though living in so very English a community

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Uphill battle to maintain fluency

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makes it difficult, Keaney says having to deal with this challenge is not an unusual thing.

"My siblings and I are all interestingly enough married to English speaking people. But all of our children speak French. When we're together as a group the children tend to lapse into English when they're playing together, because they see TV, and the superheroes are all English. So they tend to speak English. But as soon as we're a unit where there's a parent there or my father's there, it's French."

Of her two siblings, one lives in Sudbury, and one in Montréal, which makes things a little easier for them. "I'm the only one who settled in a really English community," she says. "Minden is not multicultural by any stretch of the imagination. When we moved here I used to get the strangest looks from people who could not believe that my children could understand two languages. I guess when you live in a community where there's mostly one language, you come to think that way. I don't get any looks any more. I guess

they've learned to accept it or I've 'melded' — I don't know what it is."

Cazabon-Keaney also says she can see how English speakers sometimes develop an animosity towards the French, and towards official policies on bilingualism, but that speaking more than one language is still a wonderful thing.

"They're somewhat frustrated," she says. "And I don't blame them. We get this shoved down our throats, and we start to feel threatened maybe by French

because it's being shoved down our throats... I could see that would be frustrating. It's frustrating for me and I speak French. But to open our eyes and look past that and try to remember that speaking more than one language, and as I said any language, is absolutely wonderful. I see a lot of other parents who speak other languages and their children don't. And I think that's almost sad. Because it would be wonderful for those children to have an opportunity to speak more than one language."



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Cameron woman hurt in accident

A Cameron woman was seriously injured during a snowmobiling accident on New Year's Day near Dorset.

Tanya Willis, 18 years old, of Cameron, Ontario, was taken to Huntsville Hospital with serious injuries after colliding with a tree at 1:00 pm, January 1, 1995. The OPP says the accident occurred on the Sherborne access road off highway 35, about six kilometres from the highway.

"The vehicle was westbound on a forest access road," says Sergeant Art Goard of the Minden detachment of the OPP. "It crested a hill and the driver lost control, and the snow vehicle hit a tree."

Constable Mike Maybee was the investigating officer.

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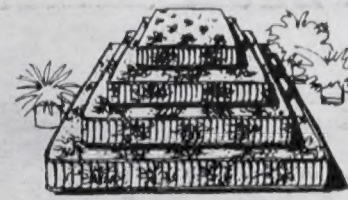


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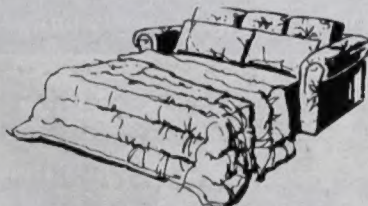
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O'Reilly hears from all sides on social services debate

by Jerry Grozelle

Opinions of various extremes were expressed when a group of about 40 people turned out for a meeting regarding Canada's social security system. The meeting, held at the Legion in Haliburton last week, gave people of the area the opportunity to voice their opinions on the subject.

Victoria-Haliburton MP John O'Reilly was on hand to take the views of his constituents back to Parliament.

"I think the majority of people accepted the premise that there is a need for revamping those programs," said meeting moderator Ernie Hills. "There were some extreme views on either side of the issue. Some who felt that programs should continue to be fully funded and the government should look elsewhere for its initiatives in deficit reduction. Other people felt that government should slash and burn... that the social programs should be slashed to the bone."

"I believe the majority of the audience was somewhere in the middle ground. They believe that reform is necessary. They believe that costs have to be a part of that reform. They want more efficient programs to better target those people who are in need and to weed out or somehow or other deal with the abuses that they see."

O'Reilly said that he was impressed with the turnout and the quality of the input from the audience.

"I think the bottom line is everybody knows there has to be reform," he said. "People know that we can't continue with 30-year-old programs that are not geared for our times."

O'Reilly was told that there are some 38 social programs in Haliburton County, some of which are providing duplication of services.

"I went there to listen," O'Reilly said after the meeting. "I don't try to dominate the meeting. I listen to what people say and try to accommodate everyone's opinion... hear what their concerns are and put that into the package and present it to Mr. Axworthy and hopefully, some of those opinions will become part of the legislation."

"People in Haliburton are well informed. They follow the news and they follow politics very closely. I find that people in urban Canada are less informed than those in rural Canada. I think there's a lot more logic and common sense used in rural Canada than there is in urban Canada. We sometimes get to the bottom line a little quicker."

"The people who were with me were impressed with the quality of the questions and I agree," O'Reilly added. "All in all, I'd say it was a successful meeting."

O'Reilly pointed out that he is getting input from people who don't want to appear in public, but who have valid opinions and concerns. Some have written out their concerns and sent them to his office. He said those comments would be included in the decision making-process.

CHACE Place

A presentation was made by Sue Valm and Gord Schakelaar in support of continued funding for CHACE.

"In a nutshell, we just tried to respond to the three priorities that were identified in the Green Paper," Valm said. "We spoke about how resource centres are uniquely positioned to support those kinds of objectives."

Jobs, child poverty issues, prevention and support for those who are most vulnerable, were among the issues that Valm and Schakelaar addressed in their comprehensive presentation.

Valm described it as a "very good meeting".

"I was very happy that John O'Reilly held the meeting," Valm said. "That was the first opportunity I'd had to really see him in action. With the depth of his knowledge, I'm really happy to have someone like him representing us in Parliament. Political affiliations aside, he's the kind of man that you want in your camp."

Snowdon Reeve

George Simmons, reeve of Snowdon Township, said that he was disappointed with the lack of turnout of municipal politicians. He said that with the down-loading of responsibilities from the federal and provincial governments to the municipal level, there should have been more interest on the part of municipal representatives.

Simmons says he recognizes a need for social programs, but abuses of the system are too common. He is saddened by the fact that in many cases, people are finding it easier and more profitable to be on welfare than to take a job at minimum wage.

"The incentive should be for people to be back in the work force," Simmons said. "Not to stay at home."

Simmons said that he has heard of people who brag about the handouts they receive and laugh at people who work to earn a living.

He said that Canada is the only country in the world that embraces a system where a person can receive welfare as a student, through his or her adulthood to old age security and even have their funeral paid for, "without (that person) contributing one cent back to the taxpayer".

Simmons said that in too many cases, "greed has taken over from need."

He wondered if it wouldn't be better to go to a system where vouchers are provided for food and other basic necessities instead of cash. When applicants are given money, there is no control over where it is spent and no guarantee that

a family's basic needs will be the top priority.

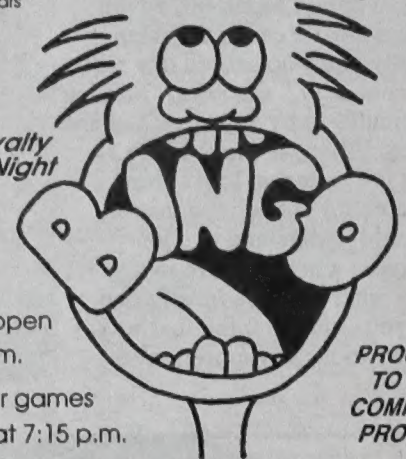
Simmons is thankful that most of the people of Haliburton County still have enough pride and morals to work, many in low paying jobs, rather than looking for assistance.

"Forty-two percent of Haliburton County's permanent residents earn less than \$20,000 a year," he said, adding that if they all went on welfare, it would bankrupt the county.



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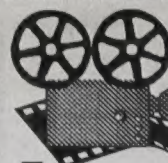
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Editorial

Let it snow... let it snow... let it snow

Anyone who suggests there is little to do in the Highlands during winter is obviously living in the past or hasn't dared to venture outside since the first snowflake hit the ground in December. Oh sure, there was a time when Thanksgiving marked the end of "the busy season". In fact, many of the businesses would close their doors once the cottage crowd had said "adieu" and not return until the trilliums appeared.

All that has changed. Over the past few weeks, articles in The Times have highlighted some of the many activities which make our communities exciting and vibrant places to be in the winter.

Much of that change in attitude has been the result of the snowmobile. The motorized sled has made the corners of Haliburton County, which once remained hidden from all but the most intrepid, much easier to reach and enjoy. Likewise, the snowmobile has provided the impetus for stretching the use of what was once called a summer cottage, into a year-round base for recreational activities. Not only have existing cottage properties undergone a retrofit, but most new cottages are being constructed with an eye to both winter and summer use.

The community has responded to this heightened interest in winter recreation. The volunteer-based Haliburton County Snowmobile Association as an example, ensures that an extensive, well-maintained trail system exists in the Highlands. Likewise community volunteers have created celebrations and festivals which revel in their winter connections. Carnivals, snowmobile rendezvous, sled dog racing, ice car racing, cross-country skiing, ice fishing, downhill skiing, curling, hockey, figure skating and simply enjoying the special beauty of the winter landscape have all contributed to the excitement of the Highlands in winter.

While winter may make life a little more cumbersome, let's not forget that it brings with it its own special charm and appeal. It's here for the duration, so let's get out and enjoy it!

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The Times welcomes letters to the editor on topics of local interest. We believe this section of the newspaper provides an important service to our community by creating a forum for discussing the issues of the day and an opportunity for a variety of opinions to be aired in a public setting.

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Not getting the picture

Editor:

In an effort to obtain a good TV Ontario television signal to our entire area, I (and over 60 others) have written sensible and reasonable letters outlining our case to Anne Swarbrick, Minister of Culture, Tourism and Recreation. The only response received was from an Assistant Deputy Minister who sloughed us off.

It is ridiculous that we as taxpayers of Ontario are paying for a TV signal that is substandard to non-existent. We only get a letter of no substance in reply to our reasonable request. Perhaps the minister could reconsider this matter and a positive solution might be found to reverse this discrimination.

Pauline Plooard,
Minden.

Opinion

The Times welcomes signed letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. Short letters are most likely to be chosen for publication, but the use of any material is at the discretion of the editor. The editor reserves the right to edit letters to meet space requirements, for clarity or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy.

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New legislation ensures municipal decision-making process is open to the public

(The following report on the new rules governing the operation of municipal council and appointed bodies was prepared by the Ontario Ministry of Municipal Affairs.)

As of the start of the year, municipal councils and most local boards are required under new legislation to conduct their business in the open.

The new rules are part of Bill 163, the government's open local government and planning reform package, introduced last spring by Municipal Affairs Minister Ed Phillips and passed by the Legislature on November 28.

For the first time, municipal councils will have to open their decision-making to the public" Phillips said. "Most municipalities already operate in the open; this legislation will affect the 'bad apples'."

The new legislation will make local decision-making more transparent, and local decision-makers more accountable by:

- requiring that meetings be held in public and that councils and most local boards put procedural bylaws in place to direct how they will conduct their business. Only a limited number of concerns, such as property acquisition, personnel matters and litigation, are acceptable for discussion without the public present, and any final decisions must be made in an open public meeting.

- requiring municipalities and local boards to maintain an inventory of their properties, declare when any lands are surplus to their needs, obtain an appraisal, and follow a procedural bylaw for disposing of such surplus property.

The government's open local government and planning reform legislation is being brought into force in stages. The parts of the bill that set new

standards for local government openness came into effect January 1 along with the new Ontario Planning and Development Act (OPDA). The new OPDA, a small part of the planning reform package, allows the province to prepare development plans in specific areas. The major changes to the planning system will take place March 1, when planning Act amendments and comprehensive new policy statements come into effect.

The final part of the package, improvement to conflict of interest laws and a new requirement that members of municipal councils, school boards public utilities commissions and police villages disclose sources of income and certain assets and liabilities, is due to take effect April 15 of this year.

The new laws on local government openness were developed after a thorough consultation process. The process began in 1990 when a committee representing municipal, school board and public interests was formed to study municipal conflict of interest legislation.

The committee held public meetings and heard input from municipal councillors, school board trustees and members of the public before making recommendations to the government. Taking those recommendations into account, the government prepared draft legislation which was circulated for comment. More than 500 responses were received. The government further reviewed the draft legislation with local government representatives, taking into account the public response, before developing the new legislation.

What is covered...

The new legislation regarding open meetings covers the following municipal bodies:

- councils
- local boards as defined by the Municipal Affairs Act, including:
 - public utility commission
 - transportation commission
 - board of park management
 - board of health
 - planning board
- plus any other board, commission, committee, body or local authority established or exercising any power or authority under any general or special Act with respect to any of the affairs or purposes including school purposes, of a municipality or of two or more municipalities or parts thereof.

...and what is not

Excluded from the open meeting provisions are the following:

- municipal police services boards
- library boards
- school boards

Digging up the past and leaving it where it is

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The pieces include sculpture, painted art works and other historical treasures from the Native cultures of North America-- Cree, Commanche, Navajo and Haida to name a handful.

So far, an estimated 40,000 cultural and artistic treasures have disappeared. American experts say if the plunder continues at this rate, more than 100,000 artifacts will be no more by 1996.

But if the U.S. experts know so much about these grave robbers and site-spoilers why don't they just grab 'em by the scruffs of their scumbag necks and toss them in the slammer? Call in the Marines! Summon the National Guard -- Hell, Canada would be happy to donate a couple of squads of Mounties to bring these villains to justice.

Well....eh...eh that's where the situation gets a little complicated.

You see, the perpetrators responsible for destroying this U.S. Native heritage...are Natives.

And it's all perfectly legal. Sanctioned by the U.S. government, as a matter of fact.

Back in 1991, the U.S. Congress passed a bill called The Native American Graves and Repatriation Act -- NAGPRA, for short. NAGPRA gives Indian tribes the right to claim possession of cultural artifacts presently sitting in museum display cases and university rooms all over the United States.

Well, fair enough. Ever since the white man waded ashore on this continent he's treated the indigenous people like part of the real estate. We killed all their buffalo. We rendered the water undrinkable. We shunted them onto reserves so they wouldn't be in the way of our shopping malls and highway cloverleaves.

And we stole from their dead. Never thought twice about the indignity we were committing when we unleashed

teams of university anthropology students to paw over old tombs and sacred burial sites.

How would you feel if a platoon of Micmacs descended on your local cemetery and dug up the grave of

your great-grandfather? Chipped off a few bone samples to send back to the lab for testing? Wrote learned papers about the cavities in his molars or the gold mason's ring still dangling from his finger bone?

Well, that is how the Indians have felt for the past three or four hundred years.

So nobody of a charitable mind begrudges the return of the Indian artifacts to the Indians themselves. Where the problem comes is -- what the Indians are doing to those artifacts.

They're re-burying some of them -- destroying others by leaving them where they were originally found -- exposed to wind, sun, rain and snow.

It makes perfect sense to the Indians. They reason that the ancestors who cre-

ated the works of art never intended them to end up in a glass case in the Smithsonian.

On the other hand, it drives archaeologists nuts. They see unique physical evidence of past cultures being lost forever.

And who's to say which side is right?

I have an Indian artifact -- a clay pipe head. Found it about 15 years ago in a foot of water on the sandy shores of Obonga Lake, north of Thunder Bay. An archaeologist from Lake-head University confirmed its authenticity and suggested I donate it to the University. I asked her why.

"Well, we could catalogue it and add it to our collection."

I decided that civilization would not be substantially advanced by the addition of my Indian pipe head to the university collection. And it's reasonable to think that the original owner of my pipe head wouldn't care much one way or the other.

Besides, I like it. My Indian pipe head is a nice thing to hold in your hand and stroke while you ponder large questions like, the good and the bad of a thing like NAGPRA.

Black'n White

by Arthur Black

County infrastructure program projects total \$5.4M

by Andrew Milne

Some \$5.4 million worth of projects have been approved in Haliburton County in 1994 under the federal/provincial infrastructure program.

In the federal riding Victoria-Haliburton, comprising Haliburton and Victoria counties, \$23.3 million in projects had been announced.

The infrastructure program was one of the planks in the Liberal's 'Red Book' platform during the 1993 federal election. It offers one-third funding of projects to renew and enhance physical infrastructure (roads, sewers, public facilities, etc.) in local communities, provided that the province or territory in each region would contribute another third, with the final third coming from the local government or school board proposing the project.

Part of the election pitch for the program is that it would create jobs and thus stimulate the economy.

The Canada-Ontario infrastructure agreement was subsequently signed on December 21, 1993 between the federal government and the province of Ontario, and set aside \$722 million of provincial and \$722 million of federal funds for the

program. With the additional third coming from the various local governments and school boards, this would be enough to fund \$2.1 billion worth of projects, and as of December 13, 1994, projects totalling this amount had been announced.

Industry Canada, the federal agency responsible for administering the project, says that 30,425 direct jobs will be created by the 4,357 projects announced in Ontario. This is the largest number in any of the provinces and territories, all of which are participating in the program. Ontario's \$2.1 billion worth of projects is also the largest slice of funding, followed by Quebec, where the agency says \$1.2 billion of projects will create 20,013 direct jobs.

In Haliburton County, the \$5.4 million worth of projects were proposed by the Municipality of Anson, Hindon & Minden, Lutterworth Township, Glamorgan Township, Dysart et al, Stanhope Township, the County of Haliburton, and the Haliburton County Board of Education.

The largest single chunk of the \$5.8 million is the county building project proposed by the county, with an estimated total cost of \$2.4 million.

Dysart et al has received approval for just over \$1 million worth of work; spread over seven projects including ditching, blasting, culvert replacement and hard surfacing on municipal roads. In addition there are projects for upgrades to the Dysart arena and to the Harcourt community centre.

Anson, Hindon, and Minden has approval to expand and retrofit the municipal offices with the funding, as well as doing repairs and upgrades to municipal roads, water lines, and sewer lines. Repairs done to the tennis courts in Minden were also funded under the program. Projects proposed by Anson, Hindon and Minden come to \$946,300 total estimated cost.

Stanhope is using the funding to upgrade Big Hawk Road, and North Shore Road East, as well as for additions to the community hall and fire hall. Three new hangars at the Stanhope Airport are also funded under the program. Stanhope's projects total \$463,857.

Glamorgan is carrying out \$200,250 worth of infrastructure projects. This includes road repairs and additions and renovations to the community centre.

Lutterworth's funding went entirely into road repairs, including repairs to

Lutterworth Pine Road, Moore Lake Estates Road, Hunter Creek Road, Buller Road, and Davis Lake Road. Lutterworth's infrastructure projects come to \$152,388 total cost.

The school board also received funding under the program, for installing data cables in the schools and board office. The networking project is projected to cost \$238,451.

Alf Blanchard, legislative assistant to Victoria-Haliburton MP John O'Reilley, says the infrastructure program was proposed partly to answer demands from Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) for repairs to infrastructure.

"The FCM had been calling for infrastructure upgrading across the country for years, because there had been a great deal of neglect not just in the last ten years but even in the last 20 years," said Blanchard. "And part of the Red Book promise was to initiate the \$6 billion project in two years."

"You hear some of the horror stories about work being done on huge trade centres," continues Blanchard, "like the Saddle Dome in Calgary. That happens. But for the most part, the dollars have been spent on concrete, mortar and asphalt."

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MMHA back in action after two-week rest

by Jerry Grozelle

The Minden Men's Hockey Association got back onto the ice January 2 after a two-week lay-off over the Christmas holidays.

Stamp 7, Home 4

Home Hardware scored the first and last goals of the night's opening game against Sid Stamp Fuels, but it wasn't enough. The Stamp crew replied to the first Home Hardware goal with three in a row and kept a grip on the game to win 7-4.

Stamp led 4-2 at the end of the first half and outscored the opposition 3-2 in the second half.

Scott Nesbitt paced the Stamp assault, scoring a hat trick. Gary Harrison and Dave Dollo added two goals apiece. Tom Haley helped the winning cause with two assists and single helpers went to Trini Elias, Bern Berry Greg Hurrell and Jarrett Campbell.

Wyatt Nesbitt netted all four of the Home replies. Dave Hartwick assisted on two, while Lawrence Loughheed set up one.

Hartwick 4, Times 2

The night's second game started off slowly, with just one goal in the first half. Hartwick Construction drew first blood with the lone first-period marker.

The second half of the game saw Hartwick outscore The Times 3-2 on the way to a 4-2 win.

Clark Craig, Dean Sisson, Andrew Burk and Ritchie Mills were the sharpshooters for the Hartwick team. Gord



FIRST HALF CHAMPS: The rink skipped by Gil Scott (right) took top honours at the Minden Seniors Curling Club Bonspiel for the first half of the season. Besides Scott, the winning rink included (l to r) Ross Davies and Ted Wilkes (who shared lead), second Nancy Moore and vice Ursula Dymont. Scott's rink had the high score for the day, 23 1/2 points, among the 16 rinks taking part on January 5.

Wood had a pair of assists and singles went to Glen Hall and Burk.

Ron May and Mark Thompson notched the Times replies, with assists going to Doug Schell (two), Dwayne Warburton and Paul Mayo.

Westside 9, KDD 1

It was more of a field day than a hockey game when Westside Jug City took on Kountry Double D in the night's late game. Westside took a 5-1 lead in the first period and added four unan-

swered goals in the second half for a 9-1 victory.

Scott Hamilton added seven points to his season total, scoring three goals and helping to set up four more for the winners. Craig Crowe had a hat trick and a pair of assists to his credit. Dave Ross

added two goals to the Westside tally and the single went to Scott Danilko, who also had two assists. Dave Rogers picked up one assist for Hartwick.

Charlie Teljeur was the lone marksman for KDD, with an assist going to Ben Manuge.

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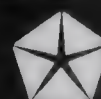
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Bantam A Monarchs championship finalists at Cannington

Minden's bantam A Monarchs were championship finalists at a tournament in Cannington over the Christmas holidays. The Monarchs started off with a convincing 5-1 victory over Uxbridge in their first game of the tournament.

Ryan Anderson Paced the Minden attack, scoring a hat trick. George Godfrey and Darren Mills added single markers to the winning tally. Chris Nielsen picked up three assists, Rob Camelon and Steve Ecclestone helped set up two each and single helpers went to Wayne Kernohan and Ben Ripley.

Minden's second game of the tournament was against Bancroft. It took overtime to decide the winner of that one.

Bancroft tied the game at 5-5 with less than two minutes left in the third period, sending the game into overtime.

Ripley scored the game winner at the 1:40 mark of the overtime frame. It was his second goal of the game. Nielsen, Mills, Todd and Anderson were the other marksmen with one each. Sheamus Donnery and Mills had two assists apiece, while Ripley and Ecclestone had

one each.

Port Perry edged the Monarchs 4-3 in the final game of the tournament to capture the championship hardware.

Trailing 4-2, Donnery scored with two seconds left in the game to cut Port Perry's lead to 4-3, but it was too late and the come-back attempt fell short. Ecclestone and Nielsen notched one each for the Monarchs. Assists went to Nielsen, Mills, Camelon and Donnery.

Anderson was names most valuable player.

The local boys didn't fare as well at a tournament in Coldwater on December 30, winning one of three games.

In their opener, the Monarchs were shaded 2-1 by Oro.

Anderson was the lone Minden marksman in that game, with Camelon assisting.

Mills was named MVP of the game for Minden.

Game two saw the Monarchs skate to a 5-3 win over Coldwater.

Donnery scored a hat trick in that game and Ripley added the other two markers. Mills picked up four assists, while Ripley and Donnery had one apiece.

Nielsen was chosen as Minden's MVP for that game.

In their last game of the tournament, the Monarchs gave up a 7-2 loss to a tough Orillia squad. Ripley and Mills were the Minden snipers, with Anderson, Hamilton and Donnery drawing one assist apiece.

In league play, the Monarchs were undefeated in three games, winning two and tying one.

A 3-0 win over Haliburton saw Nielsen, Godfrey and Anderson score one each, with assists going to Nathan Stevenson, Ecclestone, Ripley and Donnery.

Mills, Donald Todd and Donnery netted one apiece in a 3-0 win over Manvers. Ripley (with two), Anderson, Stevenson and Mills assisted.

Minden had to come from behind three times to earn a tie against Woodville.

Donnery scored twice, including the one that ended the game in a 3-3 tie. Anderson notched the second goal of the game for the Monarchs. Matt Hamilton, Mills, Anderson, Stevenson, Nielsen and Ecclestone had one assist each.



SECOND PLACE: Lead Syd Adamson, second Rene Codlin, vice Doreen Bullied and skip Russ Fair (l to r), were the second place finishers at Friday's Seniors Bonspiel to wrap up the first half of the season. Fair's rink finished with a score of 22 points after two six-end games. Prizes for the top three teams were steaks.

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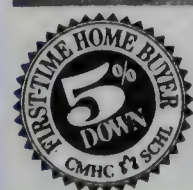
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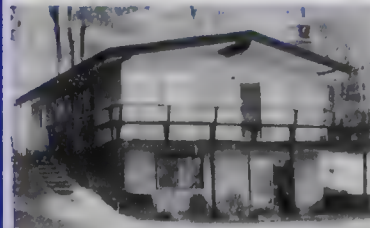
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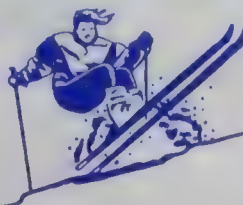
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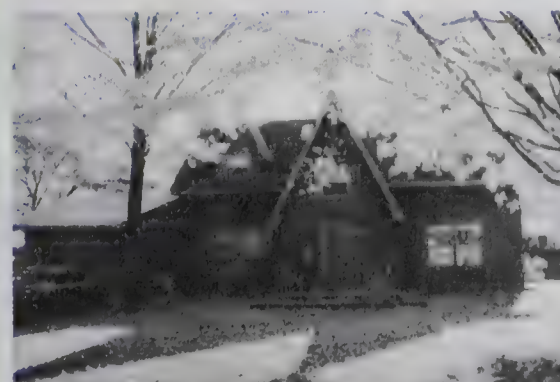


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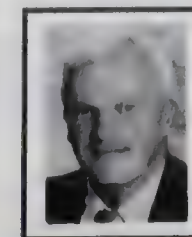
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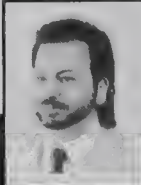
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When you sell your house

What stays and what goes?

(The following article is provided by the Ontario Real Estate Association in conjunction with the Haliburton Highlands Real Estate Association.)

If you're thinking of selling your home, you're probably wondering whether you should take the custom-made window coverings with you - or whether that entertainment unit you had specially made for your family room should really be sold with the house.

Undoubtedly, these items may be hard to part with. On the other hand, they will probably make your home much more attractive to potential purchasers if you include them in the sale. In fact, it's quite common for vendors to include some items that would normally be considered as "chattels" - such as drapes and appliances - in the sale of their homes, as an extra incentive to buyers.

Fixtures

Fixtures, on the other hand, are a different matter altogether and are basically things that are attached to the property - like light sockets, a hot tub or electric wall heaters.

The law is not always crystal clear about what constitutes a fixture - but your Realtor will guide you through the listing process and help you decide and clarify what you want to include in the sale of your home.

Special Circumstances

There may be special circumstances where something that might ordinarily be considered as a fixture is not to be included in the sale - like the antique crystal chandelier you had imported from France.

Make sure this is clearly stated in the listing agreement - and more importantly - in the agreement of purchase and sale.

If stated in the listing, Realtors will point out the various items that are not included in the sale to prospective buyers before an offer to purchase is made.

Remove from Sight

If you are absolutely certain you want to keep certain items - like the bookcase you had made to blend with the unique woodwork in your home - you may even want to remove these items from your home before you put it up for sale. That way, no potential purchasers will see them, fall in love with them and insist that they be included in the sale.

Some items on the property such as water heaters or water softeners are often provided on a rental basis. If this is the case, you should exclude the items from the purchase price and the purchaser should be asked to assume the rental.

Describe Items to Be Included

Items that are to be included should be described along with their location in or on the property.

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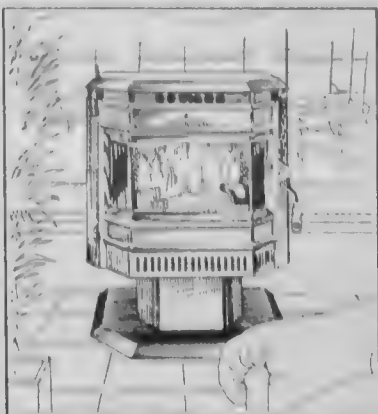
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Anglers cautioned to beware of thin ice

by Jerry Grozelle

The ice fishing season, which opened on January 1, got off to a slow start this year. Ice conditions on the bigger lakes are treacherous at best and for the first few days of the season, some were open water.

"Some of the lakes were late to freeze over, and then with this much snow on top of that ice it insulates it so we don't get a thick layer of ice," said Minden district conservation officer Dan Smith. "So, it's going to be a funny winter. Some lakes froze over, and they'll be okay."

Smith cautioned that some lakes were just beginning to freeze over last week and if a heavy insulating blanket of snow falls over the thin ice, it could be some time before those lakes are safe to travel on.

"The small brook trout and splake lakes were frozen by opening day," Smith said. "People were out on those lakes, but I didn't see them having too much success."

Smith said that he checked anglers on Duck and Dog lakes, which are usually good early in the season. "It was slow, people weren't catching fish," Smith said. The same was true on opening weekend at some of the brook trout lakes on the Sherborne Access. "I didn't see anybody with anything to take

home," he added.

Smith said that he was by Kennisis Lake on January 2 and there were whitecaps on the lake. With Kennisis Lake open, it restricted access to other lakes on the chain.

Smith said it is too early to judge how the fishing will be, since many of the most popular lakes have just started to freeze over.

"It seems to be a little slow," he said. "But that may be because people are staying off the ice. There aren't as many people out there to talk to as you would normally see on an opening weekend."

Last Thursday, Smith said he expected more ice fishing activity the second weekend of the season.

"I think you'll see more people up. We'll have more snow for the trails and they may feel a little better about our ice conditions."

Fishing licences have been available since mid-December. Smith advises anglers to check their outdoors cards and make sure they are licensed. Some anglers may have purchased a three-year fishing licence with their outdoors card, while others opted for the one-year licence. It is up to the angler

to make sure he or she is fishing legally.

There have been no changes in the fishing regulations for 1995.

Twelve Mile Lake is one of the few in the area that is enjoying good early season ice conditions. Bruce Walker of the Red Umbrella Inn said he has had nine ice huts out on Twelve Mile since opening day and the fishing has been "excellent".

"We've got about 12 inches of ice now," Walker said this past Friday afternoon.

He reported good catches of lake trout up to five or six pounds.



Boyd and Toni Carr are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Lisa Marie to Peter Blair Allore, son of Hugh and Helen Allore of Minden. The wedding will take place on September 2, 1995.



THIRD PLACE: The third prize winners of the Minden Seniors Bonspiel Friday were (l to r): Lead Sharon Sykes, second Jack Robson, vice Marian Thomas and skip George Hewitt.

Fur Harvesters Workshop and Fun Day promises something for everyone

Brian Austen, president of the Minden District Fur Harvesters, says the Workshop and Fun Day sponsored by the Fur Harvesters is as much a public information session as anything else.

Austen isn't sure how long the event has been held, but he is sure that this is at least the 10th year, probably more.

"It's been at least 10 years that the public has been coming out to support it," he said. "Really, it's public information more than anything else. It shows just what we're doing out there."

This year, it will be held at the Minden Community Centre on Sunday, January 15 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The show will feature a number of displays, some pelts, fur processing demonstrations and a fur fashion show, presented by Bernard Cahill Furs from Peterborough. Austen is in the process of recruiting models for the fur fashion show.

Chili, sausage on a bun, hotdogs and coffee will be available.

"There won't be any filet of beaver or anything like that," Austen quipped.

The \$1 admission charge qualifies show patrons for several door prizes, which will be drawn throughout the day.

Last year, Austen estimates that more than 200 people came by the show.

Booths will include at least one taxidermist and ta-

bles with outdoors equipment for sale.

The Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters will be making a presentation on the proposed firearms legislation.

The bottom line for the show is to get some positive exposure for the trappers of the area.

"There are people who think we just trap everything in sight," Austen admits. "They don't realize how much we're contributing to conservation."

The eight-member executive of the Minden District Fur Harvesters has organized the event.

"We have quite a day planned," Austen said.

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This Week On T.V.

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Mon., Jan. 9		Tues., Jan. 10	
5:30	First News	12:05	A Current Affair
6:00	News At Six	12:35	Barnaby Jones
6:30	First National	1:35	Friday the 13th
7:00	A Current Affair	2:35	Mr. Belvedere
7:30	Entertainment Tonight		
8:00	Coach	5:30	First News
8:30	Dave's World	6:00	News At Six
9:00	Madison	6:30	First National
9:30	Ray Bradbury Theatre	7:00	A Current Affair
10:00	Chicago Hope	7:30	Entertainment Tonight
11:00	The World Tonight	8:00	Wings
11:30	Sportsline	8:30	Wings

9:00	Fraser	5:30	First News
9:30	Grace Under Fire	6:00	News At Six
10:00	NYPD Blue	6:30	First National
11:00	Global News	7:00	A Current Affair
11:30	Sportsline	7:30	Entertainment Tonight
12:05	NFL Presents: Touchdown '94	8:00	Mad About You
1:05	A Current Affair	8:30	Friends
1:35	Friday the 13th	9:00	Seinfeld
2:35	Mr. Belvedere	9:30	Madman of the People
		10:00	Destiny Ridge
		11:00	Global News
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Wed., Jan. 11

5:30	First News	5:30	First News
6:00	News At Six	6:00	News At Six
6:30	First National	6:30	First National
7:00	A Current Affair	7:00	A Current Affair
7:30	Entertainment Tonight	7:30	Entertainment Tonight
8:00	Beverly Hills, 90210	8:00	Beverly Hills, 90210
9:00	Party of Five	9:00	Party of Five
10:00	Northern Exposure	10:00	Northern Exposure
11:00	The World Tonight	11:00	The World Tonight
11:30	Sportsline	11:30	Sportsline
12:05	NFL Presents: Touchdown '94: NFL Highlights	12:05	NFL Presents: Touchdown '94: NFL Highlights
1:05	A Current Affair	1:05	A Current Affair
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2:35	Mr. Belvedere	2:35	Mr. Belvedere

Thurs., Jan. 12

6:00	Total News	6:00	Total News
7:00	All In The Family	7:00	All In The Family
7:30	M*A*S*H	7:30	M*A*S*H
8:00	The Nanny	8:00	The Nanny
8:30	Liberty Street	8:30	Liberty Street
9:00	Remington Steele	9:00	Remington Steele
10:00	Primetime News	10:00	Primetime News
11:00	Total News	11:00	Total News
11:35	Lost In Space	11:35	Lost In Space
12:35	Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea	12:35	Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea
1:35	Time Tunnel	1:35	Time Tunnel
2:35	Paid Programming	2:35	Paid Programming

Thurs., Jan. 12

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8:00	Hawaii 5-0	8:00	Hawaii 5-0
9:00	North of 60	9:00	North of 60
10:00	Primetime News	10:00	Primetime News
11:00	Total News	11:00	Total News
11:35	Wild Wild West	11:35	Wild Wild West
12:35	Rawhide	12:35	Rawhide
1:35	Gilligan's Island	1:35	Gilligan's Island

Wed., Jan. 11

1:35 Friday the 13th
2:35 Mr. Belvedere

Sat., Jan. 14

6:00	Astroboy	6:00	Astroboy
6:30	Tell-A-Tale Town	6:30	Tell-A-Tale Town
7:00	The Carebears	7:00	The Carebears
7:30	Bump In the Night	7:30	Bump In the Night
8:00	Dog City	8:00	Dog City
8:30	Power Rangers	8:30	Power Rangers
9:00	Animaniacs	9:00	Animaniacs
9:30	Eek the Cat	9:30	Eek the Cat
10:00	Batman	10:00	Batman
10:30	Sonic the Hedgehog	10:30	Sonic the Hedgehog
11:00	Saved by the Bell	11:00	Saved by the Bell
11:30	Kids Can Rock & Roll	11:30	Kids Can Rock & Roll
12:00	Kidsbeat	12:00	Kidsbeat
12:30	Kidstreet	12:30	Kidstreet
1:00	Young Robin Hood	1:00	Young Robin Hood
1:30	Cottage Life	1:30	Cottage Life
2:00	OHL Game of the Week: Oshawa	2:00	OHL Game of the Week: Oshawa
	Generals at Owen Sound		Generals at Owen Sound
5:00	Bugs & Tweety Hour	5:00	Bugs & Tweety Hour
6:00	News	6:00	News
6:30	Focus Ontario	6:30	Focus Ontario
7:00	The Red Green Show	7:00	The Red Green Show
7:30	Inside Country	7:30	Inside Country
8:00	Ontario Teachers' Federation Report	8:00	Ontario Teachers' Federation Report

Fri., Jan. 13

5:30	First News	5:30	First News
6:00	News At Six	6:00	News At Six
6:30	First National	6:30	First National
7:00	A Current Affair	7:00	A Current Affair
7:30	Entertainment Tonight	7:30	Entertainment Tonight
8:00	The Simpsons	8:00	The Simpsons
8:30	Ready or Not	8:30	Ready or Not
9:00	The X-Files	9:00	The X-Files
10:00	20/20	10:00	20/20
11:00	Global News	11:00	Global News
11:30	Sportsline	11:30	Sportsline
12:05	A Current Affair	12:05	A Current Affair
12:35	NFL Heros	12:35	NFL Heros

2:05 Paid Programming

Fri., Jan. 13

6:00	Total News	6:00	Total News
7:00	All In The Family	7:00	All In The Family
7:30	M*A*S*H	7:30	M*A*S*H
8:00	Rita and Friends	8:00	Rita and Friends
9:00	Side Effects	9:00	Side Effects
10:00	Primetime News	10:00	Primetime News
11:00	Total News	11:00	Total News
11:37	Movie: Barnacle Bill	11:37	Movie: Barnacle Bill
1:32	Movie: It's a Wonderful World	1:32	Movie: It's a Wonderful World
3:20	Movie: To Catch a Thief	3:20	Movie: To Catch a Thief
5:21	Taxi	5:21	Taxi
5:55	Body Tech	5:55	Body Tech

Sat., Jan. 14

6:25	Total News	6:25	Total News
7:00	Rocket Robin Hood	7:00	Rocket Robin Hood
7:30	Rocket Robin Hood	7:30	Rocket Robin Hood
8:00	Town and Country	8:00	Town and Country
8:30	Canadian Gardener	8:30	Canadian Gardener

8:30	Family Playhouse: All For One	8:30	Family Playhouse: All For One
9:00	Sweet Justice	9:00	Sweet Justice
10:00	The Commish	10:00	The Commish
10:30	Super Dave	10:30	Super Dave
11:00	The World Tonight	11:00	The World Tonight
11:30	Saturday Night Live	11:30	Saturday Night Live
1:00	HBO Comedy Special: Robert Townsend	1:00	HBO Comedy Special: Robert Townsend
2:00	Sweating Bullets	2:00	Sweating Bullets

Sun., Jan. 15

5:00	Ernest Angley	5:00	Ernest Angley
6:00	Circle Square	6:00	Circle Square
6:30	Town & Country Ontario	6:30	Town & Country Ontario
7:00	Size Small	7:00	Size Small
7:30	Little Flying Bear	7:30	Little Flying Bear
8:00	Teddy Ruxpin	8:00	Teddy Ruxpin
8:30	Tiny Toons	8:30	Tiny Toons
9:00	Dog City	9:00	Dog City
9:30	Beetlejuice	9:30	Beetlejuice
10:00	Hour of Power	10:00	Hour of Power
11:00	James Robison	11:00	James Robison
11:30	Benny Hinn	11:30	Benny Hinn
12:00	Danger Bay	12:00	Danger Bay
12:30	NFL Football: Conference Champ: Teams T.B.A.	12:30	NFL Football: Conference Champ: Teams T.B.A.
4:00	NFL Football: Conference Champ: Teams T.B.A.	4:00	NFL Football: Conference Champ: Teams T.B.A.

Sun., Jan. 15

6:00	Body Tech	6:00	Body Tech
6:30	Raccoons	6:30	Raccoons
7:00	Rocket Robin Hood	7:00	Rocket Robin Hood
7:30	World Vision	7:30	World Vision
8:30	Dr. John Wesley White	8:30	Dr. John Wesley White
9:00	Peoples Church	9:00	Peoples Church
10:00	Star Trek	10:00	Star Trek
11:00	Three Stooges Festival	11:00	Three Stooges Festival
12:00	Three Stooges Festival	12:00	Three Stooges Festival
	Continues		Continues
1:00	Country Canada	1:00	Country Canada
1:30	Up and Coming	1:30	Up and Coming
2:00	Sports Weekend	2:00	Sports Weekend
4:00	Man Alive	4:00	Man Alive
4:30	World of Skiing	4:30	World of Skiing
5:00	Knight Rider	5:00	Knight Rider
6:00	Total News	6:00	Total News
6:30	All In The Family	6:30	All In The Family
7:00	Road to Avonlea	7:00	Road to Avonlea
8:00	Road to Avonlea	8:00	Road to Avonlea
9:00	T.B.A.	9:00	T.B.A.
10:00	Sunday Report	10:00	Sunday Report
10:28	Venture	10:28	Venture
11:00	Total News	11:00	Total News

7:00	Teams T.B.A.	7:00	Teams T.B.A.
8:00	60 Minutes	8:00	60 Minutes
9:00	Murder, She Wrote	9:00	Murder, She Wrote
	Canadian Wilderness Journal		Canadian Wilderness Journal
9:30	Super Dave	9:30	Super Dave
10:00	Northern Lights	10:00	Northern Lights
11:00	The World Tonight	11:00	The World Tonight
11:30	Sportsline	11:30	Sportsline
12:00	A Current Affair	12:00	A Current Affair
1:00	Entertainment Tonight	1:00	Entertainment Tonight
2:00	Psychic Healers	2:00	Psychic Healers
2:30	Flying Doctors	2:30	Flying Doctors

Mon., Jan. 16

5:30	First News	5:30	First News
6:00	News At Six	6:00	News At Six
6:30	First National	6:30	First National
7:00	A Current Affair	7:00	A Current Affair
7:30	Entertainment Tonight	7:30	Entertainment Tonight
8:00	Coach	8:00	Coach
8:30	Dave's World	8:30	Dave's World
9:00	Madison	9:00	Madison
9:30	Ray Bradbury Theatre	9:30	Ray Bradbury Theatre
10:00	Chicago Hope	10:00	Chicago Hope
11:00	The World Tonight	11:00	The World Tonight
11:30	Sportsline	11:30	Sportsline
12:05	A Current Affair	12:05	A Current Affair
12:35	NFL Heros	12:35	NFL Heros
1:35	Friday the 13th	1:35	Friday the 13th
2:35	Mr. Belvedere	2:35	Mr. Belvedere

Mon., Jan. 16

6:00	Total News	6:00	Total News
7:00	All In The Family	7:00	All In The Family
7:30	M*A*S*H	7:30	M*A*S*H
8:00	Fresh Prince of Bel Air	8:00	Fresh Prince of Bel Air
8:30	Blossom	8:30	Blossom
9:00	Marketplace	9:00	Marketplace
9:30	Royal Canadian Air Farce	9:30	Royal Canadian Air Farce
10:00	Primetime News	10:00	Primetime News
11:00	Total News	11:00	Total News
11:30	Hill Street Blues	11:30	Hill Street Blues
12:30	Green Hornet	12:30	Green Hornet
1:00	Car 54 Where Are You?	1:00	Car 54 Where Are You?
1:30	Mork and Mindy	1:30	Mork and Mindy
2:00	Paid Programming	2:00	Paid Programming

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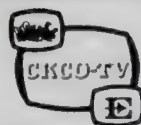


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channel 11 CKCO

Mon., Jan. 9		10:00	W-5
6:00	CKCO-TV News	11:00	CTV News
7:00	Wings	11:30	CKCO-TV News
8:00	Boys Are Back	12:00	Psychic Readers
8:30	Whole New Ballgame	12:30	Powerplex
9:00	Movie: Fighting For My Daughter	1:00	Barney Miller
11:00	CTV News	1:30	Sanford & Son
11:30	CKCO-TV News	2:00	Love and Passion
12:00	Jo Jo's Psychic	2:30	Love and Passion
12:30	Time Warner's Fab 50's		
1:00	Nordic Track		
1:30	Barney Miller		
2:00	Sanford and Son		
Tues., Jan. 10		10:00	W-5
6:00	CKCO-TV News	11:00	CTV News
7:00	Wings	11:30	CKCO-TV News
7:30	American Journal	12:00	Jo Jo's Psychic
8:00	Earth 2	12:30	Time Warner Fab 50's
9:00	Roseanne	1:00	Nordic Track
9:30	John Larroquette	1:30	Barney Miller
		2:30	Love and Passion

Thurs., Jan. 12		3:00	Love and Passion
6:00	CKCO-TV News		
7:00	Wings		
7:30	American Journal		
8:00	Due South		
9:00	New York Undercover		
10:00	ER		
11:00	CTV News		
11:30	CKCO-TV News		
12:00	Psychic Readers		
12:30	Jose Eber Hair		
1:00	Barney Miller		
1:30	Sanford & Son		
2:00	Love and Passion		
2:30	Love and Passion		

Fri., Jan. 13		6:00	CKCO-TV News
7:00	Wings		
7:30	American Journal		
8:00	Boys Are Back		
8:30	Sports Special: Royal Bank Canadian Figure Skating Championships 1995		
10:00	Homicide: Life on the Streets		
11:00	CTV News		
11:30	CKCO-TV News		
12:00	Football Forecast		
12:30	Incredible Hulk		
1:00	Barney Miller		
1:30	Sanford & Son		
2:00	Love and Passion		

Sat., Jan. 14		5:30	Jo Jo's Psychic
6:00	CKCO-TV News		

6:30	Magic Circus
7:00	Littlest Hobo
7:30	My Secret Identity
8:00	Big Top Talent
8:30	Gardener's Journal
9:00	Saturday Morning News
10:00	Canada AM Weekend
11:00	Wedding Album
11:30	Bob Vila's Home Again
12:00	The Great Outdoorsman
12:30	Canadian Sportfishing
1:00	Family Theatre: My Father, My Rival
2:00	Sports Special: Royal Bank Canadian Figure Skating - session 2
4:00	Special: Over the Edge #3
5:00	Baywatch
6:00	CKCO-TV News
6:30	Inside Entertainment
7:00	Missing Children
8:00	Sports Special: Royal Bank Canadian Figure Skating - session 3
10:00	Law & Order
11:00	CTV News
11:30	CKCO-TV News
12:00	Jo Jo's Psychic
12:30	21st Century Hair
1:00	Movie: The Mysterious Island of Beautiful Women
3:00	Love and Passion

Sun., Jan. 15		5:30	Psychic Readers
6:00	CKCO-TV News		
6:30	Christian Science Lectures		

7:00	Jimmy Swagart
8:00	Sunday AM
10:00	Country Life
10:30	Question Period
11:00	Church Service
12:00	Movie: The Last Season
3:00	Sports Special: Royal Bank Canadian Figure Skating - session 4
5:00	Night Court
5:30	Night Court
6:00	CKCO-TV News
6:30	Provincetown
7:00	America's Funniest Home Videos
7:30	On Our Own
8:00	SeaQuest
9:00	Movie: Ordeal in the Arctic
11:00	CTV News
11:30	CKCO-TV News
12:00	Jo Jo's Psychic
12:30	Time Warner's Fab 50's
1:00	Incredible Hulk

Mon., Jan. 16		6:00	CKCO-TV News
7:00	Wings		
7:30	American Journal		
8:00	Boys Are Back		
8:30	Whole New Ballgame		
9:00	Movie: A Family Divided		
11:00	CTV News		
11:30	CKCO-TV News		
12:00	Jo Jo's Psychic		
12:30	Time Warner's Fab 50's		
1:00	Barney Miller		
1:30	Sanford and Son		

daytime viewing

5:05 a.m.	2 Kenneth Copeland	11 Homewords	12 Price Is Right
5:30 a.m.	2 Faith 20	11:30 a.m.	2 Divorce Court
6:00 a.m.	2 Astroboy	11 Travel, Travel	
3 (5:55) Body Tech		12:00 noon	2 Global News
11 CKCO-TV News		3 Leave It To Beaver	
12 Newswatch Repeat		11 CKCO-TV News	
		12 Midday	
6:30 a.m.	2 Kitty Cats	12:30 p.m.	3 Total News
3 (6:25) Total News		1:00 p.m.	2 Days of Our Lives
11 Canada A.M.		3 All My Children	
12 Body Moves		11 Shirley	
7:00 a.m.	2 Carebears	12 All My Children	
3 Breakfast Television with Total News Inserts			
12 CBC Morning News		2:00 p.m.	2 Chain Reaction
7:30 a.m.	2 Power Rangers	3 Cityline	
		11 Another World	
8:00 a.m.	2 The Smogglies	12 As The World Turns	
		2:30 p.m.	2 Entertainment Desk
8:30 a.m.	2 Inspector Gadget	3:00 p.m.	2 General Hospital
		3 Degraasi High	
9:00 a.m.	2 World Vision or Leprosy Mission or Christian Children's Fund	11 The High School Show	
3 Sesame Street		12 Guiding Light	
11 McLean & Company		3:30 p.m.	3 Fresh Prince of Bel Air
12 James Robison		4:00 p.m.	2 Saved By The Bell
9:30 a.m.	11 Everday Workout	3 Bionic Woman or Six Million Dollar Man	
12 Urban Peasant		11 Roseanne	
10:00 a.m.	2 Company's Coming	12 Degraasi High	
3 Theodore Tugboat			
11 Lonely Chief or Canada: In View		4:30 p.m.	2 The Young and the Restless
12 Theodore Tugboat		11 Cheers	
		12 Charles in Charge	
10:15 a.m.	3 Fred Penner's Place	5:00 p.m.	3 Beverly Hillsbillies
12 Fred Penner's Place		11 Cheers	
		12 The Simpsons	
10:30 a.m.	2 100 Huntley Street	5:30 p.m.	2 First News
3 Mr. Dress Up		3 M*A*S*H	
11 Supermarket Sweep		11 Inside Edition	
12 Mr. Dress Up		12 Fresh Prince	
11:00 a.m.	3 Maury Povich		
		9:00	Murphy Brown
		9:30	This Hour Has 22 Minutes
		10:00	Prime Time News
		11:00	Newswatch
		11:30	Scoop
		12:30	JoJo's Psychic Alliance
		1:00	Late Night Movie

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Mon., Jan. 9		9:00	Miami Vice
6:00	Newswatch	10:00	Prime Time News
7:00	Roseanne	11:00	Newswatch
7:30	The Odyssey	11:30	Scoop
8:00	Fresh Prince of Belair	12:30	Psychic Reader's Network
8:30	Blossom		
9:00	Murphy Brown		
9:30	This Hour Has 22 Minutes		
10:00	Prime Time News		
11:00	Newswatch		
11:30	Scoop		
12:30	JoJo's Psychic Alliance		
1:00	Late Night Movie		
Tues., Jan. 10		10:00	Prime Time News
6:00	Newswatch	11:00	Newswatch
7:00	Roseanne	11:30	Scoop
7:30	Market Place	12:30	Jo Jo's Psychic Alliance
8:00	Fifth Estate	1:00	Late Night Movie

Thurs., Jan. 12		6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Roseanne		
7:30	Family Matters		
8:00	Nature of Things		
9:00	North of 60		
10:00	Prime Time News		
11:00	Newswatch		
11:30	Larry Sanders		
12:00	Making of... Lunch		
12:30	Psychic Reader's Network		
1:00	Late Night Movie		

Fri., Jan. 13		6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Roseanne		
7:30	Royal Canadian Air Force		
8:00	Rita and Friends		
9:00	Side Effects		
10:00	Prime Time News		
11:00	Newswatch		
11:30	Cinema Canada		
1:30	Late Night Movie		

Sat., Jan. 14		5:30	Psychic Reader's Network
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6:00	Canadian Sportfishing
6:30	Great Outdoorsman
7:00	Fish'n Canada
7:30	Real Fishing
8:00	Iran Zameen
9:00	Visions of India
10:30	The Creation Program
11:00	Makin' 8
11:30	CHIR Greek Show
12:30	Campus Quiz
1:00	WWF Cavalcade
2:00	Maple Leaf Wrestling
3:00	T.B.A.
4:00	Sportsweekend
5:00	Sportsbeat
6:00	Newswatch
6:30	Sportsbeat
7:00	Family Matters
7:30	T.B.A.
8:00	T.B.A.
1:00	Late Night Movie

Sun., Jan. 15		5:30	Jo Jo's Psychic Alliance
6:00	Town and Country		
6:30	Spirit Alive		
7:00	Jimmy Swagart		
8:00	Peter Popoff		
8:30	James Robison		
9:00	Dr. Jack Van Impe		

9:30	Miracles Today
10:00	Day of Discovery
10:30	Robert Schuller
11:30	Iranian Show
12:00	Man Alive
12:30	Canadian Gardner
1:00	Country Canada
1:30	Hymn Sing
2:00	Sportsweekend
4:00	On The Road Again
4:30	World Vision
5:30	Newswatch
6:00	Disney
7:00	Road to Avonlea
8:00	Road to Avonlea
9:00	The Planets
10:00	Sunday Report/Venture
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	The Health Show
12:00	Northern Response
12:30	Cantel Amigo
1:00	Jo Jo's Psychic Alliance
1:30	Country Beat

Mon., Jan. 16		6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Roseanne		
7:30	The Odyssey		
8:00	Fresh Prince of Belair		
8:30	Blossom		

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January 9 - January 15	CRITICS' AVERAGE	MPAA RATING	THEME	VIOLENCE	COARSE LANG.	SEX & NUDITY
1. The Client	★★★	PG-13	Thriller	Much	Much	None
2. Maverick	★★★	PG	Western	Some	Some	Some
3. Blown Away	★★★	R	Thriller	Lots	Much	None
4. Speed	★★★★	R	Action	Lots	Lots	None
5. I Love Trouble	★★	PG	Thriller	Some	Some	Mild
6. Jurassic Park	★★★★	PG-13	Adventure	Much	Some	None
7. The Flintstones	★★★	PG	Comedy	Mild	None	Mild
8. When a Man Loves a Woman	★★★	R	Drama	Some	Lost	Some
9. Baby's Day Out	★★	PG	Comedy	Mild	Mild	None
10. Wyatt Earp	★★★	PG-13	Western	Much	Much	Some

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Mon., Jan. 9	
4:00 Many Voices	8:00 Alchemists
5:00 What's in a Name?	9:00 Studio 2
6:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows	9:00 TVO Mystery: P.D. James Mystery
6:30 The Fundraising Game	10:00 The Darling Buds of May
7:00 A Time to Groe	11:00 The Senior Report
7:30 Introductory Economics	11:30 Future Sense
8:00 Polka Dot Shorts	12:00 The Victorian Flower Garden
8:10 Polka Dot Door	
8:40 Tots TV	
9:00 Join In!	
9:30 Kids Canada	
9:40 Readalong	
9:50 Mathica's Mathshop	
10:05 Téléfrançais	
10:15 Take a Look	
10:25 Here's How!	
10:35 Bookmice	
11:05 Iris the Happy Professor	
11:30 Chicken Minute	
12:00 Polka Dot Door	
12:30 Waste Not	
1:00 Information Processing	
1:15 Business and Consumer Mathematics	
1:30 A Career in Real Estate: Many Paths	
2:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows	
2:30 Pins and Needles	
3:00 Living in the Light	
3:30 Widget	
4:00 Chicken Minute	
4:30 Art Attack	
4:45 World of Nature	
5:00 Pingu	
5:05 Polka Dot Shorts	
5:15 Tots TV	
5:30 Polka Dot Door	
6:00 Ghostwriter	
6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy	
7:00 Vista: The New	

2:00 Future Sense	8:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy
2:30 Stretch Alive	
3:00 The Light Gourmet	7:00 Shakespeare: The Animated Tales: Romeo and Juliet
3:30 Widget	
4:00 Chicken Minute	7:30 Inside Education
4:30 Art Attack	8:00 Studio 2
4:45 World of Nature	9:00 Brides of Christ
5:00 Pingu	10:00 The View from Here
5:05 Polka Dot Shorts	11:00 T.B.A.
5:15 Tots TV	11:30 Journeys
5:30 Polka Dot Door	12:30 Vintage
6:00 Ghostwriter	
6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy	
7:00 Journeys	
8:00 Studio 2	
9:00 National Geographic	
10:00 Vital Signs: Food for Thought	
11:00 What	
11:30 Inquiring Minds	
12:00 French in Action	

Wed., Jan. 11	
4:00 Chemical Equilibrium	8:00 Polka Dot Shorts
5:00 Electrochemistry	8:10 Polka Dot Door
5:00 The County Workshop	8:40 Tots TV
6:30 Repowered Employees	9:00 Join In!
7:00 The Remaking of Canada	9:30 Kids Canada
7:30 Family Matters	9:40 Readalong
8:00 Polka Dot Shorts	9:50 Read All About It!
8:10 Polka Dot Door	10:05 Rigolécologie
8:40 Tots TV	10:15 Nature Watch Digest
9:00 Join In!	10:25 Here's How!
9:30 Kids Canada	10:35 Bookmice
9:40 Readalong	11:05 Iris the Happy Professor
9:50 Read All About It!	11:30 Chicken Minute
10:05 Rigolécologie	12:00 Polka Dot Door
10:15 Nature Watch Digest	12:30 Inquiring Minds
10:25 Here's How!	1:00 Entrepreneurship for Canadians
10:35 Bookmice	1:30 Repowered Employees
11:05 Iris the Happy Professor	2:00 Charlie White's Fishing Machine
11:30 Chicken Minute	2:30 Pins and Needles
12:00 Polka Dot Door	3:00 Burt Wolf: Eating Well
12:30 Inquiring Minds	3:30 Widget
1:00 Entrepreneurship for Canadians	4:00 Chicken Minute
1:30 Repowered Employees	4:30 Art Attack
2:00 Charlie White's Fishing Machine	4:45 World of Nature
2:30 Pins and Needles	5:00 Pingu
3:00 Burt Wolf: Eating Well	5:05 Polka Dot Shorts
3:30 Widget	5:15 Tots TV
4:00 Chicken Minute	5:30 Polka Dot Door
4:30 Art Attack	6:00 Ghostwriter
4:45 World of Nature	6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy
5:00 Pingu	7:00 Fragile Nature: Islands
5:05 Polka Dot Shorts	8:00 Studio 2
5:15 Tots TV	9:00 The Lifeboat
5:30 Polka Dot Door	10:00 Imprint
6:00 Ghostwriter	11:00 Inside Education
6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy	11:30 Distant Voices
7:00 Fragile Nature: Islands	12:00 A Cook's Tour of France

Fri., Jan. 13	
4:00 Organic Chemistry 1	11:00 Tai Chi
5:00 Organic Chemistry 2	11:30 Car Care with Mary Bellows
6:00 Charlie White's Fishing Machine	12:00 The Victorian Kitchen
6:30 Future Sense	12:30 The Victorian Kitchen Garden
7:00 An Introduction to Geography	1:00 Bits and Bytes 2
8:00 Polka Dot Shorts	1:30 Live and Learn
8:10 Polka Dot Door	2:00 Business Communications
8:40 Tots TV	2:30 Literacy and Disability
9:00 Join In!	3:00 Something Ventured
9:30 Kids Canada	3:30 Something Ventured
9:40 Readalong	4:00 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon
9:50 Just like You	4:30 Bookmice
10:05 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon	5:00 Pingu
10:35 Bookmice	5:05 Polka Dot Shorts
11:05 Iris the Happy Professor	5:15 Tots TV
11:35 Chicken Minute	5:30 Polka Dot Door
12:00 Polka Dot Door	6:00 Nature by Design
12:30 Distant Voices	6:30 The Senior Report
1:00 Writing Workshop	7:00 National Geographic
1:15 Writing the News	8:00 Movie: The Desperate Hours
1:30 Caring for Young Children	10:00 Conversations
2:00 Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy	10:15 Movie: The Night Holds Terror
2:30 Pins and Needles	11:40 Conversations
3:00 Burt Wolf: Eating Well	11:50 P.D. James Mystery
3:30 Widget	
4:00 Chicken Minute	
4:30 Growing Up Wild	
5:00 Pingu	
5:05 Polka Dot Shorts	
5:15 Tots TV	
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6:00 The Miraculous Melops	
6:30 Kidsports	
7:00 Measure for Measure	
7:30 Mastermind	
8:00 Studio 2	
9:00 Heatbeat	
10:00 Film International: Backsliding	
11:40 Imprint	

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6:00 The Bush Baby	7:00 Dimanche classique: Le Festival de Jazz GRP Allstars (8:00)
6:30 Kitty Cats	9:00 Ciné-Nostalgie: Miroir à deux faces
7:00 Eric's World	10:35 Plaisir de lire
7:30 Chicken Minute	11:05 Panorama
8:00 Polka Dot Shorts	11:30 Panorama Culture
8:10 Polka Dot Door	12:00 Spectacle: Bossa Nova
8:40 Tots TV	
9:00 Join In!	
9:30 Kids Canada	
9:40 Art Attack	
10:00 The Long Search	
11:00 Fourth Reading	
11:30 Car Care with Mary Bellows	
12:00 Loterie	
12:15 Porte ouverte	
12:45 Le Français avec Victor	
1:00 Parours	
1:30 Règlement de comptes	
2:00 Vent du sud	
3:00 Chéri(e), j'ai un truc à te dire	
4:00 Les Voyages électroniques de Numérique	
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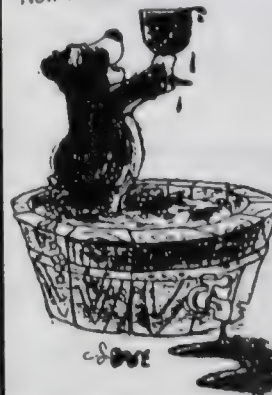
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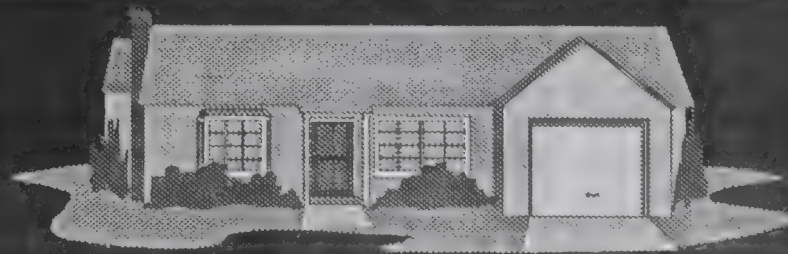
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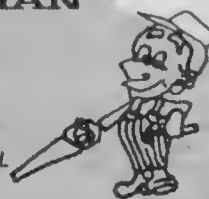


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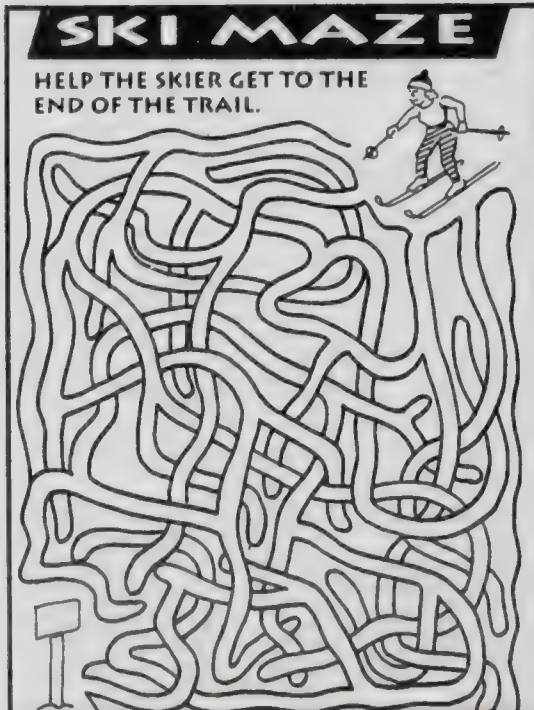
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c. Puerto Rico
d. Brazil | 9. Arabian Sea
a. Oman
b. Nebraska
c. India
d. Pakistan |
| 2. Caribbean Sea
a. Cuba
b. Haiti
c. Bermuda
d. Dominica | 10. Persian Gulf
a. Italy
b. Iraq
c. Iran
d. Saudi Arabia |
| 3. Arctic Ocean
a. Cuba
b. Russia
c. Greenland
d. Alaska | 11. Sea of Japan
a. Japan
b. North Korea
c. South Korea
d. Italy |
| 4. Mediterranean Sea
a. Italy
b. Nigeria
c. Libya
d. Greece | 12. Adriatic Sea
a. Italy
b. Croatia
c. Japan
d. Albania |
| 5. Red Sea
a. Egypt
b. Fiji
c. Ethiopia
d. Libya | 13. Lake Michigan
a. Michigan
b. Wisconsin
c. Pennsylvania
d. Indiana |
| 6. Indian Ocean
a. Australia
b. Madagascar
c. Chad
d. Indonesia | 14. Gulf of Mexico
a. New York
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c. Mississippi
d. Louisiana |
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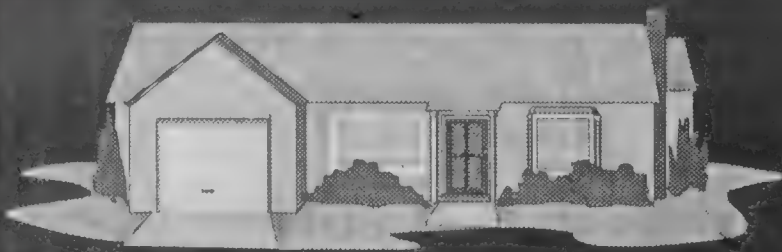
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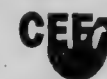
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Ross Memorial ICU fund receives Christmas boost

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In November, the Foundation mailed an appeal to about 600 previous donors requesting their support, then sent an appeal to every household in Victoria County in the first week of December. Donors had the choice to have their names added to an eight foot tall "Thank You" card in honour of the Hospital's staff, doctors and volunteers.

Mrs. Gunsolus credits the Thank You card with much of the success of the campaign. "This gave people a chance to show their appreciation for the people who provide our health care. Many donors used this opportunity to express their thanks to specific doctors and nursing units."

The funds raised will go toward the Foundation's major project for this year, replacing the monitoring equipment for the Intensive Care Unit. The new equipment will improve the Unit's ability to track patient vital signs and enhance telemetry (monitoring of patients in other parts of the hospital). The total cost of this project is \$228,000. The remainder of this total will be made up through undesignated gifts to the Foundation such as bequests, memorial gifts and income from special events.

Additional funding for family home program

The Victoria County Association for Community Living (ACL) will receive \$150,000 annually to expand its Tri-County Family Home program. The funding is being made available through the provincial Ministry of Community and Social Services.

The program is coordinated through the ACL on behalf of nine agencies serving Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton counties.

It is designed to provide accommodation within family settings for individuals with developmental disabilities. The

program involves careful screening of the applicant and the family and training of family home providers.

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The funding will be used to expand an existing program.

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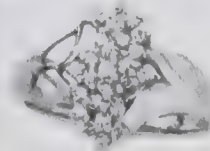
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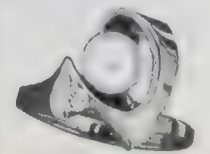
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Seduced by technology

Growing up as a teenager in the 50's, I loved articles in magazines like *Popular Mechanics* that extolled the wonders of technology and promised a future in which machines would relieve us of drudgery.

They forecast a world of moving sidewalks, personal helicopters and fully robotized households which freed us of chores to live richer, happier lives.

Technology continues to enthrall me but looking back today, I see that the most persistent memories and useful lessons for my present life were childhood experiences of nature.

Time spent just tromping around the woods, hunting beetles in an empty neighbourhood lot and dipping for minnows in local creeks honed my imagination and observational skills. What some might call play was really learning to appreciate and respect the complexity of nature.

As a child in the 40's I don't remember long periods of boredom from a lack of things to do. Yet today, in a home filled with toys and games, littered with portable radios, tape and CD decks, TV and VCR, telephones and computers, my children often complain, "Dad, I'm bored. What can I do?"

Back in the 60's, a delightful book called--*Where did you Go? Out. What did You Do? Nothing*-- explored the ways our lives have been changed by affluence and technology. The author recalled when he was a boy, if his parents saw him just lying on his back on the grass, they assumed he was allowing his mind to paint pictures from the changing cloud formations or wondering where birds sleep at night.

Now, he pointed out, if children lie on the lawn, parent worry they may be maladjusted, unhappy or bored and rush them to classes or camps to keep them busy. We have lost the ability to be immersed in and enchanted with the real world and technology exacerbates our isolation from nature.

A television talk show host once asked me what the world would be like in 100 years. I replied that if there are still people around, they might curse us for nuclear power and televisions. The host rolled his eyes and asked, "Why televisions?"

My answer was that TV creates a demand for instant gratification which requires high impact, smart statements and a low tolerance for depth or serious reflection.

I went on, "If I had responded, gee that's tough, I'll have to think about that" and then proceeded to think for ten seconds, you would have gone to a commercial within five." The electronic media cannot stand dead space or lengthy background detail.

By delivering constant novelty and change, televi-

sion shatters our surroundings into superficial, disconnected fragments that no longer make sense with a historical or ecological context.

Take films about nature. Such shows are very popular but they are not made in real time. Most utilize remote control slow motion, etc. to enable us to see what is normally impercepti-

ble.

Natural history films are creations that pull together years of observation and recording into a report lasting a few minutes. Anyone expecting to see things in the wild the way they happen on TV, is bound to be disappointed.

Several years ago, I attended the 35th anniversary of my college graduation. One of my classmates commented that when he was a boy, the long hours he and his dad spent sawing wood was time when they could talk. "Today," he said, "I still cut wood with my son, but we use a chainsaw. It's a lot easier and faster, but we don't talk."

The promise of technology I relished as a boy has come true. In my house I am surround by modern wonders to make my life easier and more rewarding--vacuum cleaner, washer, dryer, micro-wave oven, remote controlled television, VCR, stereo, answering machine, laptop computer, modem, fax. Yet the fact is, I am busier and work harder and longer than ever.

The increase in technology and consumer goods in our lives has relieved us of toil and tedium, but at the same time, the environment has deteriorated while human relationships are in disarray. Cities, where most of us live, are beset by immense problems of violence, crime, drug abuse, divorce, sex abuse, bigotry, loneliness and just plain confusion and unhappiness.

Technology was supposed to make us happier. So what is wrong? One problem is that technology accelerates the pace of life by letting us do things faster and easier. At the very time we should be slowing down and pulling back, technology draws us in the opposite direction.

Computers and scientists should enable us to chart a safer course into the future, but technology itself has shattered our world into a mosaic of disconnected fragments that preclude such action.

Technology seduces us with its glitter and obvious benefits, but we have failed to anticipate its immense costs to family, community and ecosystems.

Reflections

by David Suzuki

Acid rain report

The following report on acid precipitation was recorded at the Ministry of Environment and Energy site near Dorset and compiled by Environment Canada.

This report covers the period December 18-31:

No precipitation was reported during this time period

Environmental damage to lakes and streams is usually observed in sensitive areas regularly receiving precipitation with pH readings of less than 4.7. pH readings less than 4.0 are considered serious.



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Workshop on a Community Framework for Services for Abused Women in Haliburton County February 10th and 11th, 1995

The goal of developing a Community Framework project is to find ways of helping our community work together to find the best means of collectively dealing with the issue of violence against women.

This workshop will bring together many different people in the Haliburton County community including community activists, agency workers who provide services to abused women, women who have been abused, people interested in the issue and many others.

We are excited and pleased to have two excellent facilitators who will guide participants through the workshop.

The workshop is being co-sponsored by the Haliburton County Committee Against the Abuse of Women (HCCAAB) and the Haliburton Social Action Committee (SAC). HCCAAB and SAC gratefully acknowledge the financial contribution of the Ministry of Community and Social Services (COMSOC).

The workshop will be free. Times and locations will be announced soon. For more information, or if interested in registering for the workshop, please call Lisa Kowaltschuk at 286-4208 or Jill Jones at 454-9696.



HALIBURTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

SPECIAL BUDGET MEETING

Date: January 23, 1995

Place: Seminar Room, Haliburton
Highlands Secondary School

Time: 7:30 p.m.

This meeting is intended to allow for public input towards the 1995 budget. Notification of intent to address the Committee is appreciated by January 18th, 1995. The Committee would prefer that presentations be accompanied by a written summary.

Presentations should be kept to five minutes for individuals and ten minutes for associations.

For information on submissions, please contact the undersigned.

JAMESE BRADLEY, Superintendent of Business
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This project is funded under the Canada-Ontario Infrastructure Works Program.

Around the County Town

by Jeanne Sears (call 286-1538)

Minden Legion Seniors group euchre games will be held January 10 starting at 1:30 p.m.

The Hoyles, Sissons and Johns all enjoyed the festive season at their homes near Gelert.

Kinmount Seniors euchre game winners at Kinmount Station were Vi Danilko and Dick Holbrook with the highs, Mary Wilkins with most lone hands and others Bill St. Thomas and Sandra Robertson. The Kinmount Seniors euchre games will be held at Kinmount Legion starting January 4 at 8 p.m. for the winter months. Everyone is welcome.

Guests with Dorothy McElwain for several days were Kirk, Chris and Allyson McElwain from Ajax.

Recent guests with Florence Robinson were Eileen Cockburn of Woodville and Ern Voycey from Gamebridge.

Mary Cox enjoyed several days visit with Darlene and Basil Cox of Bancroft.

Branch 636 RCL euchre game winners for December 29 included Verna McDonald and Howard Smith with most lone hands, Maxine Cross and Ed Sisson with the highs and Bill Kleinschmidt, V. Kupusa, B. Kenneth, T. Kenneth and B. Mitchell.

Kit and Ralph Schroter enjoyed spending New Year with daughter Pat and Annie Lyons in Oshawa.

Sincere sympathy to the families and friends of the late Olive Park, Elizabeth Micalles, Ruby Lewis and James Letby who passed away recently.

Welcoming in the New Year with Barb and Tom Parish of North York were Annie and Joan Kernohan and Ken and Linda Kernohan.

Beulah Hewitt and Don and Opal Crowe spent Christmas holidays with Joy and Don Kellett of Atlanta, Georgia and

met Troy's new wife, Laura, both of North Carolina. On their way home they had a short visit with Mike and Nancy McGrail of Windsor.

Good wishes to Irma Little and Mary Bowins presently in hospital and to any others on the sick list.

Club 35 euchre game winners for January 2 included Cliff Woolner with most lone hands, Pearl Kernohan and Bill Kleinschmidt with the highs and Helen Windsor, Norm Lee and Cliff Woolner. The 50-50 draw went to Olive Daniels.

At the weekly Wednesday bid euchre games at Stanhope on January 4, winners included Margaret Hamilton, Jean Randall, Marion Hill, Grenville Griffin, Stan Hill, Carol Duncan, June Branning and Lottie Ruttan who held hidden score. No moonshots.

No games held at Gelert Centre last Tuesday owing to inclement weather. Hopefully games will be held at Lochlin Centre January 10 at 7:30 p.m. with

everyone welcome.

Minden Women's Institute January 18 meeting will be held at the Library/Cultural Centre at 2 p.m. with Current Events of 1994 and the speaker will be Brian Adamson. All ladies are welcome to attend.

The weekend of January 21 and 22 is set for the annual sled dog races and hopefully the weather will co-operate as there has been a great deal of planning for this wonderful event.

At the moment the sun is shining on the piles of snow around the streets as Mother Nature is catching up with us after the mild weather at holiday time, however the mild weather made getting around and visiting quite easy.

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Merchants: Each year the organizing committee presents the racers with welcome kits including small gifts from local businesses. Merchants wishing to have items included in the welcome packages should deliver them to Jack at The Times before January 18. (100 items will be required)

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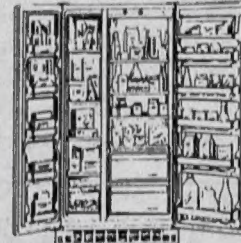
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Community Living Ski Challenge

Come and join us for a fun-filled family day, Saturday January 14, 1995. For those of you who have a ski pass there is no cost. For others who don't, it will be a small cost of \$25 for the day. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. and the race begins at 1 p.m. A BBQ lunch is provided for all participants. You don't have to be an expert skier to participate. Come and have fun. This is fund-raising initiative put on by Haliburton and Victoria Counties Community Living and Sir Sam's Ski Resort. We are a non-profit charitable organization and receipts are available. Come by the office and pick up a pledge sheet (beside the Haliburton Legion). There will be prizes for the person who raises the most money, fastest/slowest skier etc. Please come out and support us in this worthwhile event. Child care is available. For more information call Cheryl Curry at 457-2626. To qualify for prizes, participants must obtain a minimum of \$30 worth of pledges. 12CD1AB

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The family of ANNIE WATSON of Coboconk

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The winners of the "Winning Wednesdays" draw for Ralls' End Gallery for December/94 included: Susan Little December 7, Ann Varty December 14, Gwen & Jack Hutchison December 21 and The Echo Staff on December 28.

Cross Country Ski Club Events

(1) Thursday night ski lessons 7 p.m. at Glebe Park.

(2) First Jack Rabbit meeting Saturday, January 14 from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. at Museum in Glebe Park. All 6 to 12 year old children welcome.

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Rick, Erich and I would like to thank our many friends for the thoughtfulness and love that we were shown after Sarah's death. Your comfort and support will never be forgotten. Our special thanks to Brian Ladurantaye, Darlene Johnson, Ann Barker, Alice Deboe and especially Ben Thomas. The Haliburton Community Funeral Home and Dwaine Lloyd showed us sincere compassion and understanding of our needs during this tragedy. Thanks, Dwaine. Love and thanks to Sarah's friends and teachers at the High School for making sure we know how much Sarah was cared for. To the Stanhope ladies who provided the luncheon and to our friends in Dorset who brought love to our home - Thank you all!

Doris, Rick & Erich Nash.

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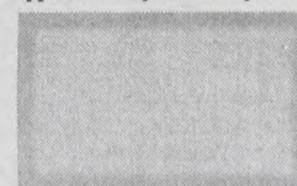
Thank you to everyone who brought us cards, gifts, baked goods, chocolates and "beverages". We've enjoyed them immensely. All the best in '95. Debbie, Lynn and Maggie at Headlines
Debbie at Tips to Toes.

AT REST

PARK, Olive Muriel

Peacefully at the Pinecrest Nursing Home, Bobcaygeon, Ontario on Monday, January 2, 1995 in her 83rd year. Beloved wife of Stewart Park. Dear step-mother of Tom Thompson, Carol Chandelier, Kenneth Park, Aunt of Allan McLatchie, Martie Morrow, Linda Morrow and predeceased by Keith McLatchie and Sandra Barclay. Dear friend of Charlie and Mary-Ann Campbell and Stephen Brelesford. Sister of the late Ernest Harper, Mallory Harper, Pansy McLatchie and Louella Despres.

Mrs. Park rested at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main Street, Minden on Tuesday. Funeral service was held in the Chapel on Wednesday, January 8 at 1:30 p.m. Interment Highland Memory Gardens, Toronto. Memorial donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or to the Victoria-Haliburton Lung Association would be appreciated by the family.



AT REST

LEWIS, Ruby Iline

peacefully at Hyland Crest Senior Citizens' Home on Wednesday January 4, 1995, in her 84th year. Beloved wife of the late Gordon, dear mother of Mae (Mrs. Ray Cooper) of West Guilford, Mildred (Mrs. Mel Dawe) of Newfoundland and Doris (Mrs. Frank LaPorte) of West Guilford. Loving grandmother of 14 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and 5 great-great-grandchildren and predeceased by one great-great-grandchild. Dear Sister of Irene Roberts and predeceased by Clarence Bain, Wilbert Bain and Leslie Bain. Fondly remembered by many nieces and nephews. Rested at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main Street, Minden January 6. Funeral service was held in the chapel Saturday, January 7. Spring interment West Guilford Baptist Church Cemetery. Memorial donations to the Hyland Crest Senior Citizens' Home or to the West Guilford Baptist Church would be appreciated.

IN MEMORIAM

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Sliced
500 g Pkg.

1.79

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A/AA/AAA Grades Beef
8.15 kg

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